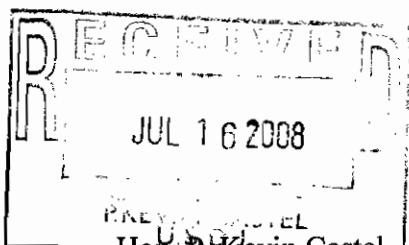


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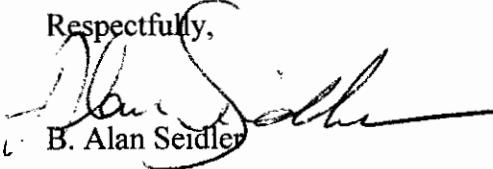
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Dear Judge Castel;

Enclosed is my affirmation detailing my efforts on behalf of defendant Mazza.  
Thank you.

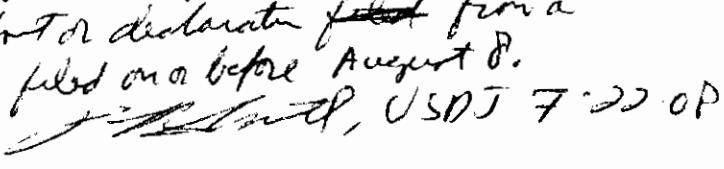
Respectfully,

  
B. Alan Seidler

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On a quantum meruit basis,  
Mr. Seidler has demonstrated on a prima facie basis  
that the reasonable value of the services prior to  
discharge exceed the amount of the fee retainer.  
At \$180 per hour, a reasonable rate for a lawyer of his experience  
and ability, the 110 hours (which he cuts as the minimum  
number of hours he spent) exceed the \$20,000 retainer.

Any challenge by Mr. Mazza-Alaluf will be deemed waived  
unless supported by an affidavit or declaration filed from a  
person with personal knowledge filed on or before August 8.  
SO ORDERED,   
B. Alan Seidler, USDT 7-22-08